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## Granting Right of Way Franchises Postponed

### All Railroads to Have Access to Wharf No. 2

Richmond city council deferred granting a franchise to the Santa Fe over Eighth street and Atchison avenue to the inner harbor wharf until next Monday night's session. The granting of the franchise will include certain provisions, important among which is the right of ways of other railway lines that may desire to gain access to the new municipal wharf and would be prevented doing so on account of the Santa Fe's objections to crossing their tracks.

It was stated by representatives of the Southern Pacific, who were present in the interests of their company, that if the franchise was granted as it now reads, all other railroads would be prohibited from entering the inner harbor industrial district served by the new municipal wharf.

As grade crossing permits lie exclusively in the hands of the railroad commission, the council will no doubt make haste slowly in granting franchises.

### Two to Elect

Election of one trustee of the Richmond union high school district, and one trustee in the Richmond elementary school district will take place at the school election March 26. The term of E. M. Downer as a high school director expires this year, and that of Dr. W. W. Giberson as an elementary school director also expires. School elections throughout the county will be held on the above date.

### Election Information For the Local Fans

Here is some election information relative to cities of the sixth class, Albany being so classified:

January 1—New registration starts. (Only those electors who have registered since January 1, 1926, can vote at these municipal elections.)

February 11 to March 23—Notice of election to be published.

February 11—First day for circulating and signing of nomination papers and affidavits of acceptance with city clerk.

March 13—Last day to register or transfer the municipal elections. Last day for board of trustees to appoint election officers and designate polling places.

March 23—At 12:00 noon, last day to file nomination papers and affidavits of acceptance with city clerk. City clerk shall publish names of nominees.

April 12—Election day.

### El Cerrito Building Permits

Building permits in El Cerrito for the month of January were \$28,025, according to the report of City Building Inspector J. F. Walsh submitted to the El Cerrito board of city trustees Monday night.

The balance in the treasury on January 31 was \$12,959.

Plans and specifications for sewer mains in the Berkeley Country club terrace tract have been completed by City Engineer Ross Calfee.

THE TERMINAL is on file in all the public libraries in Contra Costa county and has hundreds of readers.

### Factory For San Pablo Avenue

Ten acres of land fronting on San Pablo avenue and bounded by Ashby and Savder avenues, and Berkeley, have been bought by the H. J. Heinz company, Pittsburg food products manufacturers. One unit of the large plant is to be completed, ready for use next summer, it is announced.

### Lincoln Day

A program for the observance of Lincoln's birthday was presented at Roosevelt Junior high school auditorium Friday by the students of the school. The history classes of the school gave a dramatization of the "Perfect Tribute" with the following characters:

Lincoln, Jack Carr; the boy, James Smith; Captain Blair, Eldon Vestal; Everett, Edward Harlow. Members of the G. A. R. were guests of the students and appropriate songs were sung in their honor.

### Lions C. of C. Day

At the request of A. L. Paulsen, chairman of the publicity committee of the Richmond chamber of commerce, February 23 was set aside as chamber of commerce day in the Lions club as part of the celebration of chamber of commerce week, February 22 to 28. A. H. MacKinnon will act as chairman on that day and a speaker will be provided to talk upon the work of the booster organization.

### California Leads In "Everything"

Sacramento, Feb. 12.—During 1925 76,768 persons were arrested, fined and jailed in California for violations of the motor vehicle act. This number exceeds the 1924 arrests by 10,000. The increase in machines was only three per cent. Speeding and reckless driving were responsible for two-thirds of the violations.

During the year the licenses of 300 persons were revoked.

### Occupation Only for One Fond of Solitude

The protection which is now extended to rarer wild birds has led to a number of people taking up a new profession—that of bird-watcher.

Women are being attracted to this life, in spite of the fact that it is a solitary one. But few women would like to change places with Henry Edwardson, the loneliest man in Britain.

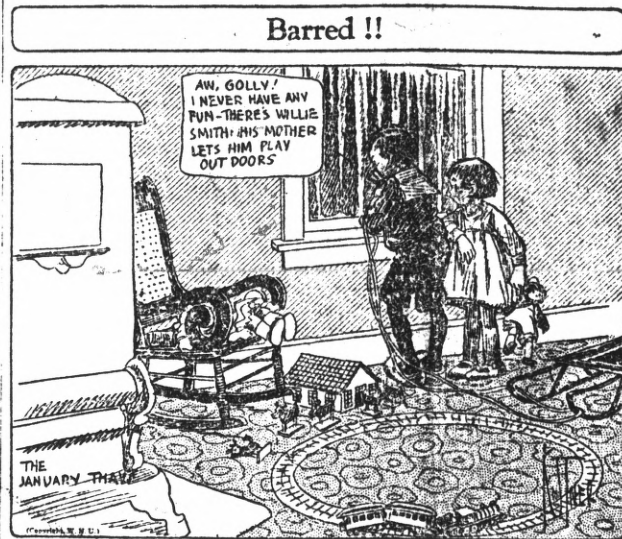
Edwardson became guardian of the birds of Herma Ness, Shetland islands, in the '80s, and for the last 19 years has been watcher under the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds.

For a third of every year he lives in a small hut on the crags, and his only contact with human beings is once a week, when food and letters are brought from Haroldswick, the post office "farthest north." Out to sea from Edwardson's hut is the Muckle Flugga lighthouse, which just beats the watcher's home as the most northernly inhabited dwelling in Britain.—London Answers.

### Motorist Gets His Bag

Klepper—There is now one auto for about every five persons. Boyd—I got my quota the first week I drove!—Judge.

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### LITTLE TERMINALS

Newspapermen are now being educated to advance their "stock" and not indulge in indignities that gives their profession or calling a "humble standard." The cordwood, pumpkin and office cat jokes have long ago been relegated to the lost motion waste basket. But publishers are not always cautious. In the prelude of his oration at the big realtors meeting in Oakland Wednesday night, the publisher from a large eastern city said: "I would love to live here in California and enjoy the many advantages that you have, but my time is limited. I just received a telegram from my wife, who states: 'George, come home! Our subscriber has returned.'"

During realtor week, one of the speakers, a big publisher from the east, in taking the platform, observed that the front row of chairs was filled with pretty girls, who attracted his attention and admiration, causing him to remark: "Girls, you are the most beautiful bunch of peaches I ever saw." A voice from the audience inquired: "Why don't you pick one?" "Can't be done," said the realtor. "I've a clingstone at home."

The plaid flannel shirt is coming out of obscurity again. Soon the politicians will be wearing them.

Some of our "dormant" spellbinders are being greatly encouraged by the radio. "The listeners" have no chance to throw vegetables or anything.

The American pioneer may have had a lot of lonesome evenings, but he didn't have static to contend with, anyhow.

Our idea of a communist is a man who wants to trade his old shoes for his neighbor's car.

Congressmen might more frequently know what the people want if the people knew.

Something else that doesn't improve to any notable extent with use is a calendar.

### It Was a Popular Sign

The owner of a cafe on the Boulevard Barbes in Paris recently originated a novel plan for inducing his customers to combine business with pleasure. A sign was hung outside the cafe saying: "Telephone calls, thirty centimes if you take a drink. Fifty centimes if you don't."

The idea was further elucidated by another sign which read: "It is all to your interest to take a drink. It will put you in good humor; you will wait more patiently and will be more amiable with the telephone operator."

### RANDOM COMMENT

California is due for another record crop of everything, including politics and divorces. However, the latter cannot be attributed entirely to the copious showers, causing the farmers to again become jubilant.

F. S. McGinnis, passenger traffic manager of the Southern Pacific railroad, is sponsoring a "get acquainted" campaign, and calls to the attention of San Franciscans the many beautiful attractions on the east side of the bay. He is in favor of fostering the spirit of appreciation and co-operation among the cities bordering the bay and suggests and urges taking an occasional afternoon drive that the many attractions may be seen and appreciated.

### An Old Timer

Organization of the first gas company dates back to 1816, when a company was formed to light the streets of Baltimore, Maryland. Electricity is now used for lighting purposes, but gas leads in low cost and efficiency all other substances as a fuel for homes and industries.

As a public utility, the gas industry is essentially a democratic institution. It gives equal service to rich and poor, the home with its cook stove and gas appliances and the great manufacturing plant which daily consumes enormous quantities of this practical, economical and dependable fuel. Its customers and investors represent people in every walk of life, a true cross section of America.

### From Missouri

Missouri business men have formed an organization "to show the tax wastage and to formulate a plan whereby the present methods of administration may be improved so the taxpayers may receive a larger return."

They propose to examine the whole state administrative system and also that of the counties. Such an effort should be welcomed by every public official, as well as by the people.

Several states have formed such organizations and the rest should follow, for it is only by organized effort that state, county and city taxes will ever be reduced.

### January Building Permits

According to the report made by Building Inspector E. E. Grow, 35 permits were made for new buildings in the month of January. The total cost of the new structures was \$79,120, and \$164.90 were collected by the office in fees.

A cat watching a mouse is less compared with a village watching a young widower.

## Six Millions For Road Repairs on State Highways

The division of motor vehicles license fees during the year 1925 has announced the apportionment of \$6,500,000 to the state highway commission to be used for road repair during 1926 on California highways.

One-half of the amount will go to the counties to be apportioned to the various counties, the sums apportioned being based on the number of motor vehicles registered by each county during the year.

The grand total of all vehicles registered during the year 1925 was over one and a half million, or in figures, 1,561,944. This includes 50,439 registered from other states.

Los Angeles, with its extended city and county corporate limits, will receive the largest share of the apportionment, \$1,395,000.

San Francisco will receive the second largest amount, or \$267,846 on 115,779 registrations.

Alameda county is third, with 95,500 vehicles, with an apportionment of \$235,000.

Alpine county is the lowest, having only 36 vehicles, her apportionment being \$76 33.

Contra Costa county will receive \$32,044 76 for the year, having a total registration of motor vehicles and trailers of 15,654, of which 13,931 were automobiles, 415 solid tired trucks, 1915 pneumatic tired trucks, 235 motorcycles and 159 trailers.

The salaries paid traffic officers in this county during the year was \$6935, according to the report.

### The New Rich

Mrs. Alexander Hamilton Rice—daughter of William L. Elkins and widow of George Widener—said at a dinner in Newport, where she and her husband have won great popularity:

"The new-rich have one uniform fault. They go in for too much ceremony, serve too many courses and too many wines at dinner, have too many flunkies standing about in silk stockings and powdered hair, observe too many obsolete rules of etiquette."

"I heard of a new-rich woman the other day who was unable to go to church one Sunday, so she sent her card."

## Unredeemed Warrants

Sacramento, Feb. 11.—Unredeemed warrants issued to persons having claims against the state totaling approximately \$41,000, have been cancelled under authority of the state board of control. The plan enables the state to obtain interest on the money, but does not affect rights of persons to whom checks were issued, who will be paid whenever their claims are presented.

### Batteries Need Attention

Batteries in a box in the side pan should be protected with a piece of rubber or linoleum during wet weather. This should be done also whenever the car is washed. Moisture on the top of the battery causes a short circuit. Sometimes, jarring of the batteries against the top of the box causes a short circuit. If your batteries are loose, they should be padded at the top with some non-conductive material, to prevent their bumping against the lid of the box.

The transaction of routine business occupied the session of Richmond Chapter Order of DeMolay, in Richmond hall last night. Master Councillor Louis Kiraly was in charge of the meeting.

## San Pablo Avenue to Be Greatest Highway

### Another Way to Get Hurt by Bucking Autos

F. S. Rogers, who conducts a service station at the southwest corner of Cutting and San Pablo avenues, met with an accident that should caution those who remove radiator caps to supply their cars with water.

In removing the cap from a customer's car, scalding water was blown into Rogers' face, which was badly burned. His hand and arm was scalded, the flesh peeling off in flakes, and his face swelling to abnormal proportions. Fortunately his eyes were not seriously injured.

Spectators who witnessed the explosion of steam and boiling water, say it resembled a geyser, the sediment from the radiator being forced skyward from 10 to 15 feet.

Rogers recently took over the service station from Fred Cooke. He will be off duty for several days. Mrs. Rogers attending to the station for him.

### Grind Your Valves

Valves should not be turned continuously in one direction when being ground. Turning continuously in one direction is liable to result in a spiral cut in the seat, which would be hard to ground out. An ideal valve seat is a fine narrow edge which will last longer than a wide edge. The wide edge also permits carbon to collect and heats the valve. A narrow seat cuts out the carbon and keeps the valve clean.

### Inspect Your Brakes

Faulty brakes are often the cause of rear-end trouble. A sudden stop due to faulty brakes or a grabbing clutch throws a strain on the driving pinion and master gear. When brakes are applied too suddenly, a jumping of the rear-end results. If brakes are in good condition and the clutch does not grab, snubbing device is recommended to prevent strain.

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### Widening and Paving May Start This Spring

The full width paving of San Pablo avenue from the county line at Albany and El Cerrito to San Pablo looks quite probable in the near future, following recent action of the highway commission.

The paving program agreed upon by the commission includes 2.54 miles through El Cerrito, which extends north to Cutting where the turn is made for Richmond.

Following north along San Pablo avenue to San Pablo creek, a distance of one and a half miles, is in Richmond, the paving of which must be paid for by that city.

The paving of the full width street through the town of San Pablo will be jointly paid for by the state and San Pablo.

The improvement will cost the state about \$75,000 in the city of El Cerrito, and \$50,000 in the town of San Pablo. The cost of El Cerrito's paving is estimated at approximately \$175,000. No estimate has been made on Richmond's portion of the paving.

In order that this paving project materializes, the three districts must get together and decide upon a plan of cooperation.

The highway from Cutting to Stege Junction is a narrow strip of paving, a dangerous roadway congested with traffic all kinds day and night. Accidents are numerous. The widening of this great state highway is almost imperative without further delay.

### Might Happen Here

What a Richmond aviator did to a Warm Springs residence is just what may happen in this city by the cruisers who skim the tops of church steeples and high buildings. Stout performances and pleasure flying over cities and congested centers is usually prohibited by law, but often these ordinances are not enforced. It is difficult to make an arrest while the flier is up in ether, unless cities follow Chicago's plan and install an airplane cop.

AT this season of the year, bills as a rule are higher due to longer lighting hours and more heating hours.

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## MUSSOLINI'S DEFY THREAT OF WAR

GERMANS VIEW IT AS INAUSPICIOUS OMEN

### CONDUCTS CAMPAIGN OF LIES, SAYS PREMIER

Premier's Speech Accepted in Rome As Most Significant Since Corfu Incident; Italy Will Never Withdraw, Says Mussolini.

Rome.—Premier Mussolini's speech in the Chamber of Deputies on February 6, in which he warned Germany against the anti-Italian campaign carried on in the Reich, was characterized frequently in political circles today as almost equivalent to a declaration of war against Germany. All day long Mussolini's words of warning were discussed, and his speech was declared to be one of the best, certainly the most significant, of his international statements since the Corfu incident.

All the newspapers agreed that the speech was such a thoroughgoing embodiment of the spirit of fascist Italy that comment was considered superfluous, almost impossible.

The fateful words which were uttered by Mussolini in the thronged Italian chamber were an unmistakable warning to Germany and had particular reference to a recent speech of Dr. Held, the militant Bavarian Premier.

The climax of Mussolini's tirade against Germany came at the end, when he exclaimed:

"Fascist Italy, can it necessary carry her flag beyond the Brennero frontier, but never backwards from where it flies now."

"It is a lie also," he continued, "that the monument to Empress Elizabeth at Brassanone was burned. You may have heard of concentrations of Fascist expeditions, and in the German newspapers you could read horrible descriptions of violence committed against German tourists. You hear of apologies which the Italian government was to have addressed to the German Embassy in Rome regarding anti-German manifestations by students. All these are stupid lies."

"There was never a question of a German South Tyrol. The treaty of St. Germain (between Italy and Austria) gave us that territory, and in that territory we simply apply our Italian laws. That which the Roman Italy has done is nothing compared to what other nations have done. Today even Czechoslovakia enforces the use of the Czech language among the Germans and German newspapers there."

"To the German nation we say, as we say to all peoples, the Fascist people want to be your sincere friend, a friend with your hands up, a good friend, but outside of 'kultur'."

"I wish I could be understood by all who should understand my words, so that the Italian government need not pass to a more concrete reply. This would be given tomorrow if the German government assumed which has happened and which may happen to Germany."

### CANADA WILL PROBE SMUGGLING FROM U. S.

Ottawa, Ont.—The Canadian government will name a committee at once to investigate the charges made by H. H. Stevens, former minister of trade and commerce, and a member of the Conservative opposition in the House of Commons, that Canadian treasury has lost millions of dollars through wholesale smuggling across the United States border.

In his charges, made in the house Stevens accused the government of failure to take effective action to remedy these conditions. It was estimated, he said, that \$30,000,000 had been diverted from the exchequer with the connivance of Canadian customs officials. He named a former high employee of the customs department of Montreal as the leading offender.

### Forbes' Associates Wants Review

Washington.—John W. Thompson, St. Louis contractor, convicted with Charles R. Forbes, former director of the Veterans' Bureau on conspiracy charges growing out of hospital contracts, asked the Supreme Court recently to review his case. Counsel for Forbes is expected to make a similar plea in a short time. Thompson's petition charged numerous errors to the lower courts and attacked the veracity of Elias H. Mortimer, chief prosecution witness.

### Cussing Barred on Church Building

Reno.—Workmen on the new Methodist Episcopal church at Reno are requested by a sign posted by the contractor not to use profanity while working on the building.

### Beer Return Paper Circulated

Sacramento.—A questionnaire seeking the opinion of all registered voters in California on a proposal for return of light wines and beer in this country is being circulated through the northern part of the state by the California Division of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, according to word received here.

Berlin.—Many Jews in an effort to combat the habit of suicide in Germany have taken oath to continue to live and hope for better times.

## BEER AND WINE PLEA AROUSSES WETS, DRIES

Wheeler Makes Categorical Denial of Indictment By Church Society—Prohibition Cannot Be Enforced Says Pittsburg Bishop.

Washington.—Advocacy of light wines and beer by the Church Temperance Society of the Episcopal Church provoked a volcanic outburst of comment from various organizations interested in prohibition and led also to some fireworks in Congress.

Wayne B. Wheeler of the Anti-Saloon League issued a statement, denying in detail the conclusions of fact on which the society based its decision.

Dr. Clarence True Wilson of the Methodist Episcopal Board of Temperance said the Episcopal church has "contributed nothing to the triumph of the prohibition law and its attempt to betray it will be without consequence."

Senator Edge, Republican, New Jersey, who has a beer-and-wine bill pending, put into the record the announcement made in New York on behalf of the Episcopal society by Dr. James Empringham, but it was admitted only after it was agreed to print with it the reply issued by Wheeler. When Senator Willis, Republican, Ohio, objected to accepting the one without the other, Senator Edge replied that he gladly would permit the Wheeler statement to be put into the record because it seemed to him "so profoundly ridiculous."

Pittsburg, Pa.—"The fact that every bootlegger would vote for the continuation of the Volstead law is proof that it is not a good law," said Bishop Alexander Mann of the Episcopal diocese of Pittsburg, on the query as to his own ideas on the proposed action of the temperance society of the church to ask that the Volstead act be modified.

"Personally I did not believe in the eighteenth amendment, and I think the Volstead act is a bad law. Prohibition cannot possibly be enforced. The law is resented by many persons, good and bad, who feel it an infringement. There is no doubt but prohibition has caused more drinking among the younger set. And we all know that the liquor being sold today is sheer poison."

### NEW SHENANDOAH PLANS SUBJECT OF HOUSE DEBATE

Washington.—The complete plans of the Aircraft Development Corporation, which has offered to build a metal clad airship on a fifty-fifty basis for the navy, were revealed in the debate on the floor of the House over the appropriation of \$300,000 requested from the Government.

These plans show that Professor R. A. Milliken of the California Institute of Technology, who is regarded as one of the leading physicists in America, was a member of the advisory staff which has been working on the plans for the new metal craft.

Some of the specifications of the proposed airship are: gas capacity, 200,000 cubic feet; length of hull, 150 feet; thickness of metal skin, .008 of an inch; horsepower, 400; gross weight, with helium, 12,600 pounds; crew, four; passengers, six; commercial range, 720 miles; maximum speed, 70 miles an hour.

The corporation has spent more than \$300,000 in its laboratory investigations, testing the structural members of every part of the framework to destruction, revealing a minimum safety factor double that of the Shenandoah. The problem of making the metal of metal skin, .008 of an inch; horsepower, 400; gross weight, with helium, 12,600 pounds; crew, four; passengers, six; commercial range, 720 miles; maximum speed, 70 miles an hour.

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### Boulder Canyon Bill Up To Work

Washington.—A revised draft of the Swing-Johnson bill for development of the Boulder canyon project was completed by Representative Swing, Republican, California, and was taken in conference with Secretary Work, author of new proposals which have been written into the measure. The measure, which has been rewritten to provide for a Government bond issue of \$125,000,000 for construction of a flood control, irrigation and power project, will be brought before the Senate Irrigation Committee immediately after having received the approval of Secretary Work.

### Sleigh Bells On Fifth Avenue

New York.—Jingling sleigh bells were heard along Fifth avenue recently for the first time in many years, as a two-seater sleigh drawn by a pair of brick chestnuts, and driven by Thomas Conorton, a caddy, left the Hotel Plaza with its first "fare."

Taxicabs and limousines halted respectfully to give it the right of way. "Fifteen dollars the hour's my price," said Conorton. "There's plenty of takers at that price."

## Golden State News of Interest to All

### "It's a Privilege to Live in California."

The Bakersfield Rotary club has launched a campaign to raise \$13,500 for the 1926 program of the Kern county Boy Scouts.

With the ever-increasing agricultural development in the Wasco district, Kern county, the population is gaining with an equal stride.

First prize in the seed guessing contest held in Calistoga, Napa county, went to a small boy, who guessed closest to a total of 639 seeds in a pumpkin.

Siskiyou county's first mink fur farm has been started near Doris. The venture follows the development in the past few years of silver fox farms in northern California.

Farmers in the Susanville, Lassen county, section, are putting up their ice crop for the summer. The ice is said to be exceptionally clear and of an unusually good quality this winter.

The old building known as George Up's blacksmith shop, at Willis, Mendocino county, more than fifty years old, and said to be one of the oldest structures in the town, is being razed.

A gray eagle recently trapped near Jack London's home in the Valley of the Moon, near Healdsburg, Sonoma county, measured eighty-four inches from wing tip to wing tip and thirty-six inches in spread of tail.

The state bond commission has authorized the Merced irrigation district to place before the taxpayers the proposition that an additional \$1,000,000 bond issue be floated to complete the under works of the water system.

Miss Jane Kreger of Lodi, one of the oldest residents of the northern district of San Joaquin county, who came here sixty-three years ago, died after an illness of several weeks at the age of 85. She was a native of Illinois.

A. Leon and company of Hanford, Kings county, were sued here by A. B. Buckner, grape grower, who alleges failure to accept 350 tons of muscats at \$2 per ton and 150 tons of Sultanas at \$5, as per an alleged contract. Damages asked total \$4,230.98.

Cloggett, Gooch and Harris, the company which recently bought ten sections of land from the Kings County Development company, east of Coalinga, is developing underground water so as to be able to seed the land to grain, corn and cotton in the spring.

The spirit of co-operation that exists between northern and southern California was more strongly cemented recently before the San Francisco board of supervisors when trophies won by San Francisco's float in the Tournament of Roses parade at Pasadena were presented to Mayor Rolph.

With a membership of more than four hundred, the Napa County Flower and Garden club, at Napa, is planning to carry out what nature overlooked, beautify the banks of the long, winding Napa river, the one waterway entrance to this city from the lower bay regions and once the main artery of freight and passenger traffic to and from the city.

J. R. McAllister, Bakersfield, superintendent of the Standard oil refinery in the Kern river fields, has retired from his position after twenty-two years for the company in California. McAllister came to Bakersfield from Coalinga in 1912. The years of faithful service have qualified him, under company regulations, for the rest he expects to enjoy.

Announcement by the Lindsay-Strathmore irrigation district, at Visalia, Tulare county, defendants in the 10-year litigation involving waters of the Kaweah river, of purchase by it of an additional ten and one-half miles of the Merryman ditch, taking out above all the ditches of the plaintiff, Tulare irrigation district, has precipitated new interest in the contest.

A mosquito bite on the tongue, even though the worker happens to be asleep at the time, is an industrial accident and the injured man is entitled to compensation. The state supreme court so held recently. William Miller, a cowboy of Newman, Calif., was bitten. The industrial accident commission awarded him \$1,957 for hospitalization, \$227 for pay reimbursement and \$12.50 a week for disability.

At least 25,000,000 squirrels were killed during 1925 in California's greatest rodent control campaign, which resulted in a direct saving to property owners of approximately \$5,000,000. It was estimated by the state department of agriculture. The department said that 46,000,000 poison baits were set during the year on an area of 3,894,728 acres, at a cost of \$1,176,972.

Mrs. Cordelia Bates, Arbuckle, one of the oldest living pioneer residents of Colusa county, died here at the age of 89. She remained active almost up until the very day of her death. About four years ago she surprised the younger women by taking all the prizes in sewing competition at the county fair.

State veterinarians inspected 5,723, 176 animals for various livestock diseases during 1925, according to a report by the chief of the division of animal industry, department of agriculture. Stockyard inspections alone covered 3,078,203 animals.

## ANCIENT CLOCK IS LEMOORE HEIRLOOM

An incant clock with works made of wood, and which gave continuous service for eighty-eight years, has become the property of Mrs. W. P. Byron of Lemoore, Kings county. It is in almost perfect condition after an existence of 111 years. The clock was made by Chauncey Boardman and Joseph Wells in Bristol, Conn., and was purchased in 1812 by Harvey Harris of Hooperstown, New York, great, great grandfather of Mrs. Byron. The clock has been in the family since that date and was in constant use until 1900. The works, with the exception of the escape wheel and the bell and hammer, are of carved wood. On the back of the dial panel are notations of its having been cleaned in 1851, 1889 and 1871.

## Bobs Her Hair, Hubby in Rage Finishes Job

Boston.—Because she bobbed her hair, Everett H. Humphreys of Arlington flew into a rage, seized his wife, Marion M., dragged her into a bedroom and completed the job—shearing off what hair the barber had left.

This was the testimony of Mrs. Humphreys, seventeen-year-old blond, given in Middlesex Probate court, where she was awarded a decree nisi of divorce on grounds of cruelty.

She was also given the right to resume her maiden name, Wyatt.

## SPENDS FORTUNE, DIES PENNILESS

### Man Who Broke Monte Carlo Bank Passes Away.

London.—Arthur De Courcy Bower, who ran through several fortunes, including one made from Chilean nitrate concessions and another through "breaking the bank at Monte Carlo," was found dead a few days ago in a furnished room in London.

Bower spent his money as freely as he made it. He was twice married, his second wife being a widow, a Mrs. Smith, to whom Prince Bathynai, Hungarian sportsman, left nearly \$5,000,000.

Bower, who was sixty-nine years old, died almost penniless. Born of a good family and educated at Eton, he spent some years as partner in a London financial firm. Wanderlust seized him and he went to South America.

He made a fortune in nitrate working with Colonel North, the "Nitrate King." Then he returned to England and began spending his money lavishly, often giving barnards \$500 tips. His most remarkable exploits were in the gambling casino at Monte Carlo. He had perfected a system of play while in South America and this he resolved to try at the famous casino in Monaco.

He took \$135,000 with him for the purpose and the first afternoon won \$50,000. Then he hired five assistants, giving each \$20,000, with instructions as to the play. He broke the bank three times, winning \$1,215,000.

## Aged Romeo, Deaf but Wiser, Is Rid of Wife

Los Angeles, Cal.—John Varner, deaf and eighty-four years of age, shuffled out of Judge F. C. Valentine's court poorer, wiser and through with love and romance.

Mrs. Emma Varner, not quite so old, but equally deaf, left the court, too, with a profit of approximately \$2,800 to show for her year of marriage with Varner, according to the testimony he had given. Judge Valentine had just granted Varner a decree of annulment.

It was just a little more than a year ago that the two, after a brief acquaintance, eloped to Santa Ana and were married. Varner had a note, a trust deed and \$3,250 in cash at that time, he said. Within a few weeks he had conveyed to his bride an interest in the trust deed and the note and had placed his cash in a joint account.

"I put the money in a joint account. She pressed my hand and said neither of us would write a check without notifying the other. Then I found out she had drawn out all but \$446," he related bitterly.

## Wanderer Is Freed of 20-Year Murder Charge

Springfield, Mo.—Jim Sublett is a free man today after 20 weary years of wandering about the country with a murder charge hanging over his head.

Sublett killed Joe Dillard, an old friend, with a bullet intended for another during an argument in 1905. He immediately left the country, and although a nationwide search was instituted, he was never apprehended. The agony suffered by Sublett over the killing of his friend and the terror of constant flight led him to surrender several weeks ago. He was placed in jail at Galena, Mo.

The story told by the prisoner won him many friends. Relatives, including the wife and daughter of the slain man, visited Sublett in his cell, and all kindness was shown him. Public sympathy grew rapidly during his incarceration, and at last Judge Stewart and Prosecuting Attorney Hicks, meeting with relatives and other officers, agreed to waive the charges and Sublett was released, once more a free man. He returned to his home at Piney, Ark.

## Trains Snuff Man's Legs, Then Shake Out His Life

South Bend, Ind.—A train a few years ago severed the legs of Andrew Emery of South Bend. The other day a train snuffed out his life.

Mr. Emery used wooden legs, but was able to drive an automobile. He drove the car on the railroad track in front of a train. He was instantly killed.

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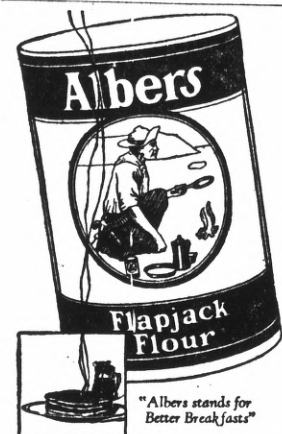


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## Everything Was All Right

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

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CRAWFORD was consuming chop suey with a speed that augured well for the medical profession—until she took the seat opposite him at the long marble table. After that Fletcher was not in it with him when it came to masticating his food.

She was a girl of modest demeanor whom Crawford had seen on one or two occasions in the restaurant.

She ordered only a cup of tea and some rice cakes, and seemed in a bit of a hurry about it. Crawford watched her draw from her bag a lot of time-tables and begin to jot down a regular itinerary on the back of the menu card.

And all the time she scarcely looked up, only a fleeting glance now and again that just shaved the corner of Crawford's eye. He felt grateful for even those crumbs, and a glance all to himself would have been too devastating.

His chop suey was nearing a finish and rather than seem to be hanging about occupying a chair he ordered more.

Then, when it was put before him, steaming and fragrant, the girl glanced at her watch, arose hurriedly, paid her check and was gone.

In her rush, she, of course, left the most important of her papers—the menu on which she had so carefully jotted down trains, hotels, etc. Crawford followed, only to find that she had taken the elevator down to the street and was now lost among the thousands of released workers at Forty-second street.

Crawford did the best thing that came to his inspired mind. He made hasty copy of all she had written down and left the menu as he had found it.

Had Crawford been anything but free-footed for the next few weeks and possessed of sufficient coin to carry him on, he might have let the wonder girl go out of his life. As it was, he was free to take the same trip she was taking and would hope, by fair means or foul, to manage a meeting. He did not have to reach his home in the Far West for another two months. After that, he would take up the splendid position open there to him.

However, meeting a lovely girl, who was entirely herself and held out no encouragement, was not an easy matter. Crawford had fleeting glimpses of her in hotels in Washington, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit, then after a long lapse, saw her in Denver, looking at the shops, had a room next to hers in the hotel in Los Angeles, and not once could he find even the slightest pretext on which to fix a meeting.

And still he followed after. His two months were fast drawing to a close. Discouragement held Crawford in its grip. He was not the type of man to scrape up any kind of introduction with a girl nor was she the kind who would fancy it. He was not even quite sure that she was aware of his existence on earth. She was all interest in the trip she was enjoying and apparently had no eyes for love-sick followers.

And the day arrived when he took the only train that was not on the girl's itinerary. He had to bet back in the city next day and had at last abandoned hope. The glorious girl would have to be some other man's wife. Fate had played against him. Crawford was a bit slow getting off the train at his home city and was the last to get a taxi.

As he drew up to the familiar gate on Second avenue, he was hardly conscious that a second taxi had immediately preceded him.

The front door was still ajar when he bounded onto the porch and plenty of feminine chatter greeted him. Apparently someone had unexpectedly arrived and the event was joyfully received.

He popped his head through the door to see his pet sister and someone in a most familiar suit, clasped in each other's arms.

"What, ho!" laughed Crawford, "not a word of welcome to her brother." He stood by not quite believing his own senses.

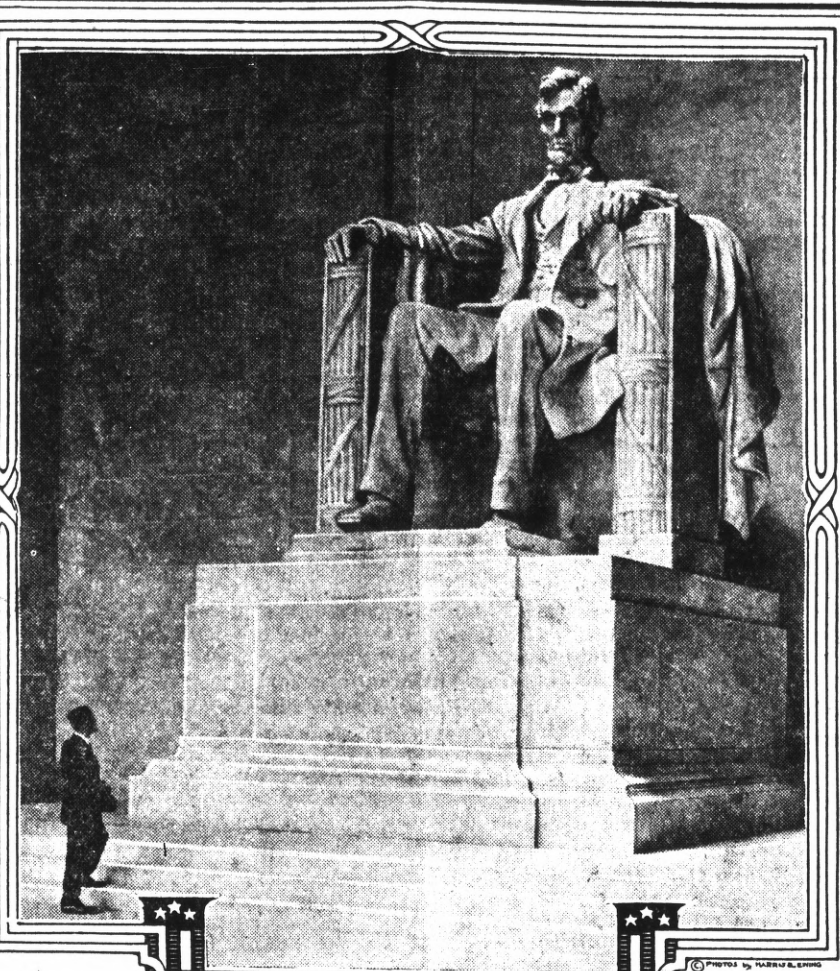
"Oh, Dick, I was so excited at seeing Joyce—" she turned then and gave him a sisterly hug and kiss, "that I forgot that you were to be on the same train that brought her. You've heard me speak often of Joyce Kimble—well, this is she—Joyce, this is Dick."

Of course brother Dick nearly passed out during that moment when the girl's hand lay well within his own and the curiously glowing eyes gave him a complete glance, but he managed to make a show of common sense.

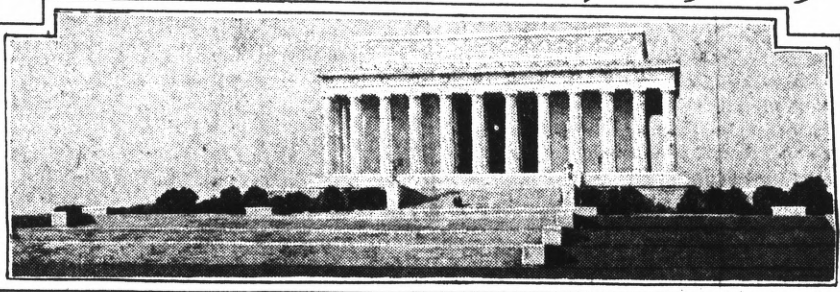
"I hope she has come to make a long stay," he said calmly to sister Jane. "I fancy this chum of yours already. Do you know," he added turning directly to Joyce, "I believe I saw you once in a Chinese restaurant in New York. Were you per chance—?"

"And I don't know whether you have a thousand doubles," she said demurely, "or perchance I merely fancy that I saw you in every train, hotel—"

"I'll just go and see that everything's all right," put in sister Jane. "Everything's all right already," said Dick with a most deliberate look at Joyce, who blushed in a most satisfactory way.



**ABRAHAM LINCOLN**  
February 12, 1809 — April 15, 1865



## WELL QUALIFIED FOR HIGH OFFICE

**Lincoln's Travel and Study Made Him Conversant With Problems.**

By D. K. DODGE, University of Illinois. The claim has been made recently by a distinguished northern historian that at the time of his election Lincoln's knowledge of public affairs was limited and that he knew very little of the country through personal contact. According to this authority, Lincoln's single term in congress was "negligible" and, with the exception of a trip to New Orleans in his youth, he had spent most of his time in his own state.

Unfortunately generalizations of this sort, especially when they are made by men who are supposed to know what they are talking about, are convincing to the average reader, who is unable to check up on the writer. Let us consider how far this particular generalization is justified by the facts, or rather, whether there are any facts of the important political speeches of Lincoln were made in his own state, but that is probably true of most men in public life.

**Spoke in Many Cities.** An examination of the biographies, supplemented by newspaper reports, leads the student to quite a different conclusion from that reached by Professor MacDonald, in his curious review of Stephenson's book. To be sure, Lincoln had not appeared in New York before he made his famous Cooper Institute address in February, 1860, but in 1848, twelve years earlier, he spoke in Tremont temple, Boston, his later opponent, William H. Seward, sharing the platform with him, and during the same Taylor campaign of 1848 he spoke in Worcester, New Bedford and other Massachusetts towns. In 1850 he delivered a long speech in Cincinnati, and in the same year he gave his remarkable agricultural address in Milwaukee, which was

**Witty and Modest** Abraham Lincoln's inferiority complex, which has been so recently enlarged upon by critics, is illustrated by his remark to an audience of young women in a seminary. Lincoln, conscious of his own awkwardness, rose and, towering over them, said: "Ladies, I have for some moments been looking at you and you have been looking at me, and I rather think I have the best of it."

The committee will seek to have the coach taken to Gettysburg and kept as a historic memorial. An effort also will be made to have the coach exhibited at the sesquicentennial in Philadelphia from June 1 to December 1, 1926.

The car is a wooden combination passenger and baggage coach and had a stove in the center. At the time it was used by Lincoln and members of the Presidential party it was considered one of the road's finest pieces of equipment.

followed by a political speech, and later in the year he made a number of speeches in Kansas, only fragments of which have been preserved. After the Cooper Institute address he spoke in New Haven, Hartford and other Connecticut towns.

**Four States Knew Him.**

In 1849 he delivered the recently discovered eulogy on General Taylor in Chicago, and nine years later he made a very important speech in the same city. In 1848 he spoke several times in Maryland and Indiana. He is also known to have spoken a number of times in Missouri, possibly, among other places, in St. Louis. In 1842 Lincoln visited his friend Joshua Speed in Kentucky, but the nearest approach to a speech in that state that I have been able to discover is a reference in the Cincinnati speech to the Kentuckians across the river. On at least one occasion Lincoln spoke in Michigan, and this completes the list of states in which Lincoln is known to have spoken. It is quite within the limits of probability that Lincoln visited and spoke in Iowa and Minnesota, but the known facts are sufficient for our purpose.

**His Ability Recognized.**

The facts assembled show that, before his nomination in 1860, Lincoln had spoken in at least nine states and one territory, and that he had appeared in at least as many cities of considerable size and importance. A local paper characterized the Worcester speech as "a truly masterly and convincing speech" and the Tribune said of the Cooper Institute address: "No man ever before made such an impression on his first appearance before a New York audience." The Cincinnati speech was included in the volume containing the Lincoln-Douglas debates, published in 1860, and the Cooper Institute address, besides being reported in full in the newspapers of the day after its delivery, formed one of the Tribune tracts and was issued a few months later in an annotated edition. It is doubtful whether even Seward, whose knowledge of the country has never been questioned, had covered so great and varied a territory as speaker as Lincoln. It may

**Historic Railroad Coach**

The railroad coach in which Lincoln rode to Gettysburg to deliver his famous address on the battlefield in 1864 was found on a siding in the yards of the Western Maryland railway at Baltimore. The historic but dilapidated car was discovered by a Pennsylvania committee of the Lincoln Highway association that visited Baltimore.

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was added that Lincoln supplemented his first-hand observation of different sections by a careful reading of a number of newspapers, including the Weekly Tribune and the Charleston Mercury, and that he knew personally many political leaders of both parties in different parts of the country.

**Intimate With Great Men.**

During his "negligible" single term in congress he formed an intimacy with Alexander H. Stephens, later vice president of the Confederacy, and on his way back from New England in 1848 he stopped at Albany in order to meet Thurlow Weed, later Seward's campaign manager. It is an interesting fact, indicative of Lincoln's breadth of view and freedom from prejudice, that his most intimate early friend was a Kentucky Democrat and slave-owner, Joshua Speed, whose brother became a member of Lincoln's cabinet. In his knowledge of the real sentiment and character of the South, a very important matter at that time, Lincoln was undoubtedly far better equipped than any other of the Republican candidates in 1860. Before as well as during the Presidency Lincoln was able, through his knowledge of the country as a whole and not merely of a section of it, to take a truly national view of the difficult situation, in marked contrast to the narrow sectional view, of many of the political leaders, both North and South.

**Might Have Prevented War.**

If the questions at issue in 1861 had been referred to him and to that no less broadminded southerner, Alexander H. Stephens, for final settlement, there is every reason to believe that the Civil war would have been avoided, slavery would have been gradually abolished with justice to all, and the Union would have been preserved in a spirit of charity rather than of bitterness. We are, therefore, in my opinion, justified in assigning to Lincoln a place in the upper class of unusually well prepared and seasoned Presidents. The difficult and probably unanswerable question of his relative rank in this upper class need not be discussed here.

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fort also will be made to have the coach exhibited at the sesquicentennial in Philadelphia from June 1 to December 1, 1926.

Ducks and loons use their wings when swimming under water.

## The Kitchen Cabinet

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Test by a trial how excellent is the life of the good man—the man who rejoices at the portion given him in the universal lot and abides therein content; just in all his ways and kindly minded toward all men.—Marcus Aurelius.

**FOOD FOR THE FAMILY**

If the housewife would keep her family well, happy and enjoying their food it is needful that she study her meal, planning carefully. If by hook or crook children can be trained to like the sort of foods good for them, the mother may thank herself and bring down the blessing of all others who entertain them, upon her head. Did you ever entertain a man or woman at your table, who "can't eat this and we never eat that," or if they are not quite so crude about expressing it in words, yet refuse to eat what is good wholesome food, set before them? If not, then you have never felt like committing murder and should congratulate yourself upon what you have escaped.

**Hearty Salad.**—Take one and one-half cupsful of cooked tongue, stir into it lightly with a fork two hard-cooked eggs cut into eighths. Marinate with French dressing, adding one cupful of stringless cooked beans cut into inch pieces. Pile on a mound of crisp lettuce and cover with mayonnaise. Garnish with overlapping slices of ripe tomato.

**Shad-Roe Salad.**—Cook in butter one medium-sized shad's roe cut into small pieces, with one sliced cucumber, two hard-cooked eggs, stirring lightly with a fork. Serve on a bed of watercress. Garnish the top with mayonnaise and on top of this long strips of cucumber overlapping each other.

**Sardine and Tomato Salad.**—Peel four small ripe tomatoes and scoop out the centers. Chill. Mix the tomato pulp with celery, green pepper sliced, olives and season with salt to taste. Fill the tomatoes with this mixture and place on lettuce leaves. Garnish the top with a spoonful of mayonnaise sprinkled with chopped chives. Lay the sardines over the top, two on each tomato. Anchovies may be used in place of the sardines if liked.

**Casseroles of Eggs.**—Wash one-fourth pound of mushrooms, remove the skins, slice and simmer twelve minutes in a saucepan containing two tablespoonfuls of butter, three tablespoonfuls of water, one-half teaspoonful of salt and a few dashes of cayenne. Turn this mixture when cooked into a casserole, add five beaten eggs, seasoned with salt and pepper, one-fourth cupful of milk, and one and one-half tablespoonfuls of minced parsley. Sprinkle three tablespoonfuls of buttered bread crumbs on top and bake in a pan of water for 35 minutes in a moderate oven.

**A Symposium of Salads.** We all crave green things, which means that our health demands them. What is more tempting than a succulent, well-chilled and attractive-looking salad? One thing in favor of salads is we can prepare them with but little work from the common foods that are almost always at hand in any modern home.

A crisp head of lettuce, well washed, drained and chilled, will form the basis for hundreds of salads. When there is nothing to serve with it except the homely onion, it may be shredded very fine and sprinkled over the lettuce, then with a well-seasoned dressing one has a most tasty salad. French dressing is one of the most popular for green foods. Take one tablespoonful of vinegar or lemon juice to three of oil; salt, pepper, and other seasonings may vary. Beat until thick, chill well before serving. A bit of ice in the salad bowl will add greatly to the salad dressing.

**Asparagus and Egg Salad.**—Cut one green pepper into narrow rings. Remove the yolks of two hard-cooked eggs and cut the whites into strips. Slip three asparagus tips through the pepper ring and place on crisp head lettuce. Sprinkle over this the egg whites. Place a spoonful of mayonnaise on either side of the pepper ring. Garnish with the grated egg yolk and a dash of paprika.

**Vegetable Salad.**—Make a border around a chop plate of cooked, finely chopped and seasoned spinach. Place two small heaps of chopped cooked beets at the ends, a half cupful of cooked lima beans between and two piles of green peas, cooked, one on either side. Garnish the top with grated egg yolks and narrow strips of egg whites. Sprinkle with the following dressing: Two-thirds of a cupful of olive oil, three tablespoonfuls of vinegar, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, one-third of a cupful of tomato catsup and a few dashes of cayenne. Surround the spinach with a border of small curly lettuce leaves.

Macaroni or spaghetti with a little tomato for moisture may be used in the same way, adding rosette of beef or chicken, tongue or minced veal instead of the ham.

*Nellie Maxwell*

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## Suspicious About Wall Street and How They Arise

By FRANCIS H. Sisson, President

Trust Company Division, American Bankers Association

WOULD-BE economists, political orators and the general public make frequent positive assertions about the functions of Wall Street without any realization of what constitutes Wall Street or what purpose it serves. Lack of knowledge breeds suspicion. Yet it is not difficult to understand the nature and function of Wall Street. Let us set down a few of the facts which account for the existence and nation-wide, as well as international, services of Wall Street.

There are 316 banks in New York with combined capital and surplus of about \$1,400,000,000. Their deposits aggregate over \$11,500,000,000, and during 1924 their total volume of business reached nearly \$250,000,000,000.

The New York Stock Exchange in 1925 sold 463,000,000 shares of stock and in 1924 \$3,828,000,000 worth of bonds. Wall Street is the national credit and money market. It is just as essential that there be markets for money and for stocks, bonds, mortgages and other securities as for cotton, corn, tobacco, wheat, hogs and other commodities.

If Wall Street were destroyed, the financial district of New York would see frantic efforts to re-establish it so that trade and industry could continue. If the production and marketing of agricultural and industrial commodities did not need such a financial institution, Wall Street would not exist.

We depend upon the farmer to help maintain the general level of prosperity. Wall Street as a money market is called upon to finance the growth and marketing of farm crops. Many Wall Street bankers were born and raised on farms. If they were not thoroughly familiar with agricultural requirements, they could not hold their present positions in the financial world.

In the period of deflation, Wall Street suffered proportionately as much as the farmer. The aggregate losses of Wall Street banks amounted to a staggering sum. Wall Street is not an independent institution, but an organic part of the country's business system, necessarily reflecting the ups and downs of business.

Four Billion Dollars An approximate estimate of the main items in Wall Street's financial operations in handling farm crops shows that New York banks for the purpose of agriculture put out commercial loans to the value of one billion dollars, held banks' acceptances for another billion, but commercial paper such as cattle and sheep loans for a third billion and carry balances of country banks for a fourth billion. Thus Wall Street furnishes a \$4,000,000,000 river of credit annually to produce farm products and float them to market.

The outward flow to rural banks enables them to make the required advances on farm crops and for warehousing and handling cotton, tobacco, wheat, raisins, prunes and countless other products. Outside of his own personal efforts on his farm, Wall Street is the biggest single factor in the prosperity of the farmer. After these commodities have been moved to market, the money used in handling them returns to Wall Street for investment. New York is the largest security market in the country and offers a use and market for the idle capital of the rural banks between crops.

Funds from every part of the country flow to New York, attracted by the greater opportunity for their profitable use found in this center. Thus the accumulations of deposits are large, and in turn the openings for the useful employment of these funds in

thinking of buying, the chances are that he never would have bought it after he got the bank's report. Banks can get the record of any company issuing stock and if the company is not well financed, if it has not been paying dividends, if the officers of the company are not men with clean, honest records, the bank can find that out. The radio company that James invested in made a disgraceful failure a month after he bought his stock. If he had taken the trouble to find out something about it first, doubtless he would have had money today.

"Well, Aunt, that may be true about the stock, but who in the world would anticipate thieves?"

"Anybody who reads the papers today knows that thieves are pretty active," said Aunt Emmy dryly. "Why ignore them? If James had kept his bonds in a safe place, at a bank, he would have had them yet. James has been careless, if not actually stupid. His bad luck is mostly James himself."—Anne B. Ayres.

### BANKERS HELP

The Minnesota Bankers Association at its annual convention adopted the following resolution:

"We believe it to be the duty of every banker in the state of Minnesota to co-operate with our Agricultural Committee and to call the attention of its farmer patrons to the excellent work being done by our Agricultural College, and the means thereby available for the improvement of farming conditions and for the practical education of the boys and girls from our farms."

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### What Busses Again?

The urgency of a bus line connecting Richmond with Oakland is not advocated by those who are acquainted with the transportation problem. The people had a siege of busses and jitneys a few years ago, and a week after these vehicles were eliminated no one ever missed them.

The traction company is improving its service between Oakland and Richmond, and it will not be long before the running time will be reduced to meet all requirements.

The Key route line extends to the south boundary of Albany. In another year it will be extended through Albany to the county line, penetrating a thickly populated district.

It will not stop at the county line, but continue on skirting the foothills to East Richmond. Transportation lines are attracted only by thickly populated communities. The rest is easy.

### A Telephone Nation

The telephone is rapidly usurping the position formerly held by the telegraph in control of trains and transmission of railroad business. Train orders are now being transmitted by telephone on more than 54 per cent of the railroads of the country.

Not only are telephones being used for transmission of train orders, but telephone stations are being installed on many roads at each signal bridge and siding, and are connected with adjacent interlocking or block stations, so that almost constant communication can be had by train crews with headquarters.

Many railroads have also provided means by which observation cars on certain trains are connected with the city telephone service, so that a passenger up to the time the train leaves the station, may communicate with any point in the city.

### Root on Loyalty to Party

Elihu Root, former secretary of state and admittedly one of the ablest who ever held that post, is a republican. He believes in party control and regularity. Recently in a speech he set forth the reason for his stand. His words are worth noting.

"There are many thoughtless people," he said, "who think it is a fine thing to see a man rise and declare his independence of everybody else. He appears to be a heroic and noble figure, defying the lightning. It frequently makes a man very popular, but the public service requires that, instead of a man insisting on having his own way in everything, he should render as a sacrifice to the interests of his country his private opinion, his personal vanity, and his notions and opinions as to all minor differences which may separate him from his party."

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## New Device Heartily

Welcomed by Sailors

One of the most responsible positions in the world is that of the man on the bridge directing the course of a great ship. For him, clear, certain and unobstructed vision is imperative at all times, and especially so in a driving storm when sight is most difficult. His eyes must be protected as he looks out, and a clear sheet of glass is the obvious suggestion. But rain and spray and snow drive against the glass and accumulate upon it, and the most constant wiping of the surface, even by the most untiring mechanical devices, is often of little avail. Suddenly and quite recently there has come a solution of this perplexity and, as usual, a very simple one. A polished glass disk, rotated by an electric motor at such a speed that nothing can be deposited on it that will adhere for an instant is the solution of the problem. The device is being manufactured by a responsible English firm and distributed on both sides of the Atlantic.—Compressed Air Magazine.

## Hoof-and-Mouth Serum

Pronounced a Success

Hoof-and-mouth disease of cattle, which caused serious trouble in the Southwest last year and was suppressed only by the most rigorous destruction of the infected herds, is being treated in Denmark, the most important dairy country for its size in the world, by means of a serum prepared from immune animals.

This serum is obtained from animals which have recovered from the disease. Several gallons of blood are taken from each cow, about one-quarter of the blood of the animal, with no serious result beyond reduction of the milk supply for some time. To this blood is added chinch, an antiseptic. It is then allowed to stand overnight. The next day, it is centrifuged, drawn off into large sterile glass containers, and afterward bottled in sterile bottles to send to the farmers.

## Fancy Shaving Mugs Go

The gilded and gorgeously painted individual shaving mugs that 15 or 20 years ago glowed upon a special shelf in every barber shop have gone the way of all other insubstantial implements of the tonsorial establishment.

Time was when every red-hot sport had his individual shaving cup at his favorite shop. His name, usually in large black letters, glared from the side of the mug and together with tinsel and paint dazzled the eye. The cups themselves came in strange and assorted shapes.

Today the barber uses one plain cup for all his customers and washes and scalds it diligently.

## Another National Park

Far from the beaten path of travel a new national park is being planned in the Jamez and Sangre de Christo mountain ranges in northern New Mexico, say an Associated Press dispatch from Santa Fe.

At the southern entrance of the proposed park is a beautiful canyon which has a high waterfall. There is a cave whose sides have been painted in brilliant colors by nature's chemistry. In the center of the region is the Valle Grande, a huge extinct volcano, the largest crater in the Southwest.

## End of Weeds

Unightly weeds along the garden path are doomed, according to information from Germany. Certain compounds have just been patented that may be added to the gravel before laying the paths in order to prevent any weeds from growing, or they may be powdered or sprayed on the weeds to kill them. The most potent of these compounds are the sodium and calcium paratoluene sulphonamides.

## Fancy Price for Turkey

Turkeys were in such demand in New Jersey that one sold in Hopatcong township for more than a horse. Auctioneer M. A. Pierson, disposing of the goods of a local farmer got \$25 for a good fat bird. Twenty was all he could get for a scraggly nag.—Washington Star.

## Sounds Like New Game

Hungary's new coin, the pengo, may be worth a borin, but it doesn't sound like sound money.

## SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa.

Manuel Perera, formerly known as Manuel Perera, and Joseph A. Mello, also known as J. A. Mello, plain-iffs, vs. Madeline Moltoza, Manuel Miguel Buttencourt, Mary Mathos Machado, formerly known as Mary Mathos, Jose Dutra, August Dutra, John Doe, Jane Doe, and the Doe-Loe Company, a corporation, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any claim upon plaintiffs' title thereto, defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa, and the complaint filed in said County of Contra Costa, in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court, C. D. Horner, attorney for plaintiffs, Richmond, California.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Madeline Moltoza, Manuel Miguel Buttencourt, Mary Mathos Machado, formerly known as Mary Mathos, Jose Dutra, August Dutra, John Doe, Jane Doe, and the Doe-Loe Company, a corporation, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any claim upon plaintiffs' title thereto, defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within the county; if served elsewhere, within thirty days, and you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required that plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract or will apply to the County of Contra Costa for relief demanded in the complaint.

Said action is brought to compel the above named defendants, Madeline Moltoza, Manuel Miguel Buttencourt, Mary Mathos Machado, formerly known as Mary Mathos, Jose Dutra, August Dutra, John Doe, Jane Doe, and the Doe-Loe Company, a corporation, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any claim upon plaintiffs' title thereto, to set forth the nature of their claim or claims in or to the said real property and that such claim or claims be adjudged to be of no effect and void, and to quiet plaintiffs' title to said real property, and to determine all adverse claims of any and all of the defendants, and all persons unknown as aforesaid, in and to all those certain lots, pieces, parcels or tracts of land, situated, lying and being in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and particularly described as follows:

Parcel No. 1.—Portion of Lot 174 as designated on the map entitled "Map of the San Pablo Rancho, accompanying and forming a part of the final report of the Referees in Partition," which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, on March 1, 1891, and particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the North line of Road No. 2 or Alvarado Street from which a granite post set for Southwest corner of Lot 179 on North line of said street or road bears South 48° East distant 14.75 chains, thence according to the true meridian as follows: along the Northern line of said Road No. 2 or Alvarado Street North 48° East 2 chains and 52 links to stake, thence South 48° East 1.50 chains to a stake, and thence South 43° West 2 chains and 57 links to point of beginning.

Excepting therefrom: the water rights conveyed in the deed from Manuel Perera to the People's Water Company, a corporation, dated November 6, 1909, and recorded January 15, 1910, in Volume 3 of Miscellaneous Records at Page 87.

Parcel No. 2.—Portion of Lot 174 as designated on the map entitled "Map of the San Pablo Rancho, accompanying and forming a part of the final report of the Referees in Partition," which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, on March 1, 1891, and particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the Northern line of Road No. 2 or Alvarado Street from which a granite post set for the Southwesterly corner of Lot 179 on the Northern line of said street bears South 48° East, distant 51.56 chains, thence according to the true meridian as follows: along the Northern line of Alvarado Street North 48° West 66.99 feet to a stake; thence leaving said stake North 45° East 168.93 feet to a stake, thence South 48° East 66.99 feet to a point; thence South 42° West 168.93 feet to the point of beginning.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 25th day of January, 1926.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.  
By A. M. DESOITTO, Deputy Clerk.  
C. D. Horner, Attorney for Plaintiff.  
629 Macdonald Ave., Richmond, California.

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## NOTICE TO VOTERS

Every person entitled thereto must register during the year 1926, thirty (30) days before the election at which he or she may desire to vote.

Registration for Municipal Elections for towns of sixth class closes March 1, 1926.

Registration for August Primary Election closes July 31, 1926.

Registration for General Election closes October 2, 1926.

Make application for registration to the County Clerk or any of his deputies. Dated: January 1, 1926.

H. WELLS, County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

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